

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	CASE NO. 8:11CR125
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
vs.	)	
	)	
BEATRIZ LOPEZ-MARISCAL,	)	TENTATIVE FINDINGS
	)	
Defendant.	)	

The Court has received the Presentence Investigation Report ("PSR") in this case. The parties have not objected to the PSR. See Order on Sentencing Schedule, ¶ 6. The government adopted the PSR. (Filing No. 119.) The Court advises the parties that these Tentative Findings are issued with the understanding that, pursuant to *United States v. Booker*, 2005 WL 50108 (U.S. Jan. 12, 2005), the sentencing guidelines are advisory.

The Defendant's motion for downward departure/variance (Filing No. 121) will be heard at sentencing. The Defendant filed a witness list indicating she expects to call a witness at sentencing. However, because the defense has not complied with ¶ 6(d) of the Order on Sentencing Schedule with respect to a request to present oral testimony, the witness's testimony will not be heard.

## IT IS ORDERED:

1. The parties are notified that my tentative findings are that the PSR is correct in all respects;

2. If **any** party wishes to challenge these tentative findings, the party shall immediately file in the court file and serve upon opposing counsel and the Court a motion challenging these tentative findings, supported by (a) such evidentiary materials as are required (giving due regard to the requirements of the local rules of practice respecting the

submission of evidentiary materials), (b) a brief as to the law, and (c) if an evidentiary hearing is requested, a statement describing why an evidentiary hearing is necessary and an estimated length of time for the hearing;

3. Absent submission of the information required by paragraph 2 of this Order, my tentative findings may become final;

4. Unless otherwise ordered, any motion challenging these tentative findings shall be resolved at sentencing;

5. The Defendant's motion for downward departure/variance (Filing No. 121) will be heard at sentencing; and

6. The testimony of the witness identified in Filing No. 123 will not be heard.

DATED this 23rd day of February, 2012.

BY THE COURT:

s/ Laurie Smith Camp  
Chief United States District Judge